

Tutorial Work of Chapter 1: Semiconductor- Diode

Exercise N°1

1- Calculate the following Laplace transforms :

a) $\mathcal{L} \left[(t^2 + t - e^{-3t}) \mathcal{U}(t) \right]$ b) $\mathcal{L} [\sin(2t) \cos(2t)]$ c) $\mathcal{L} [(\cos(2t) - \sin(t)) e^{-3t} \mathcal{U}(t)]$

2- Calculate the originals time-domain signals of the following Laplace transforms:

a) $\mathcal{L}^{-1} \left[\frac{s+2}{(s+3)(s+4)} \right]$ b) $\mathcal{L}^{-1} \left[\frac{3}{(s+5)^2} \right]$ c) $\mathcal{L}^{-1} \left[\frac{s-1}{(s^2+2s+5)} \right]$

3- Use the Laplace transform to determine the solution of each of the following differential equations:

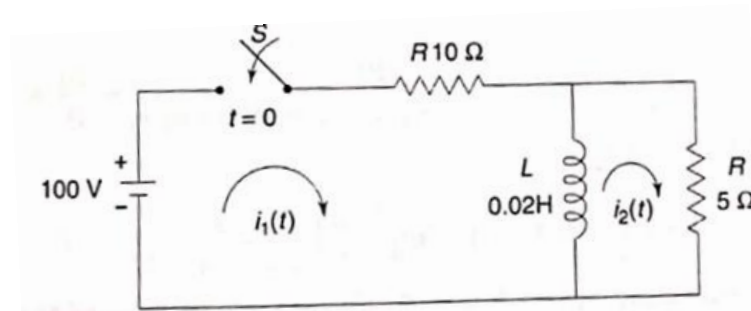
a) $x'(t) + x(t) = t \mathcal{U}(t) - t \mathcal{U}(t-1)$ Initial Condition : $x(0) = 0$

b) $x''(t) + 6x'(t) + 9x(t) = e^{-2t} \mathcal{U}(t)$ with : $x(0) = 0$ et $x'(0) = 0$

c) $x''(t) + 4x(t) = 2 \mathcal{U}(t)$ Initial Conditions : $\begin{cases} x(0) = 0 \\ x'(0) = 1 \end{cases}$

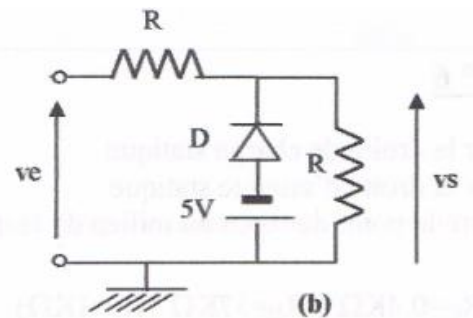
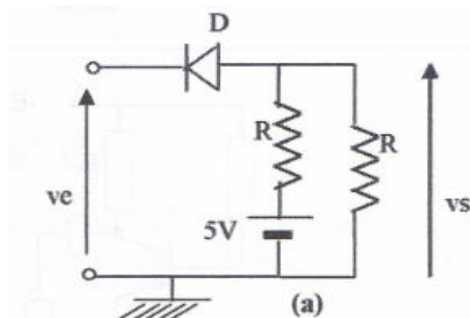
4- In the following circuit

- a- Find the current $i_1(t)$, $i_2(t)$ and the output voltage across 5Ω resistor when the switch is closed
- b- Determine the initial and final values of current.



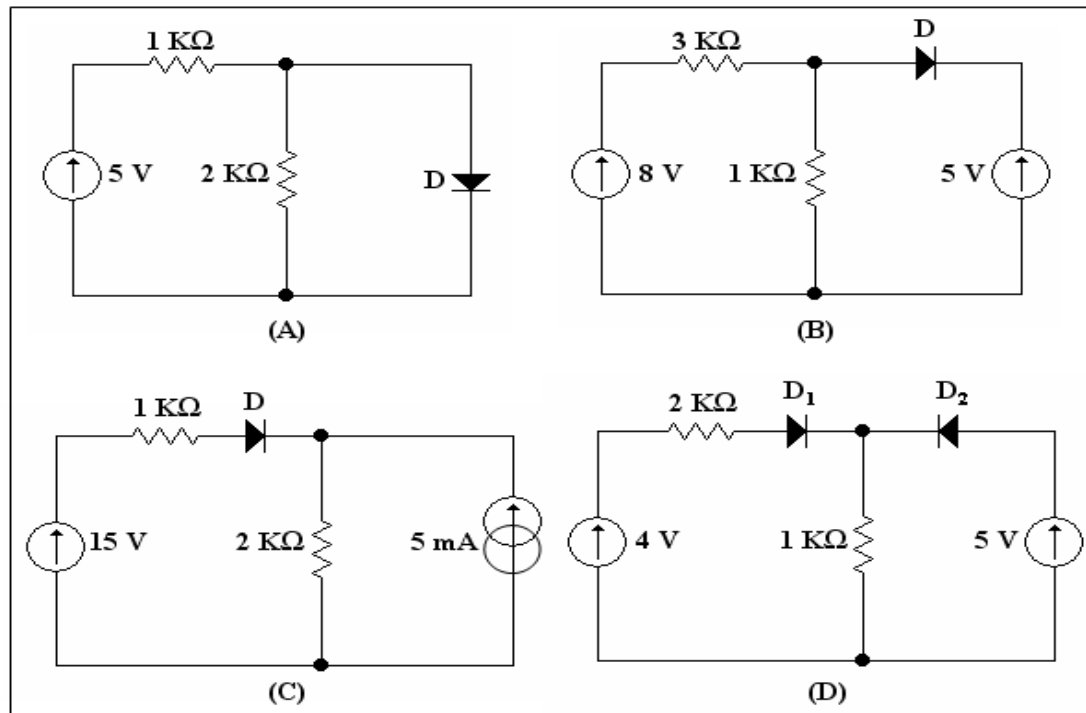
Exercise N°2

The input voltage $v_e(t)$ is a sinusoidal of amplitude 10 V and period 20ms. Draw the graph of the output voltage $v_s(t)$ for each circuit



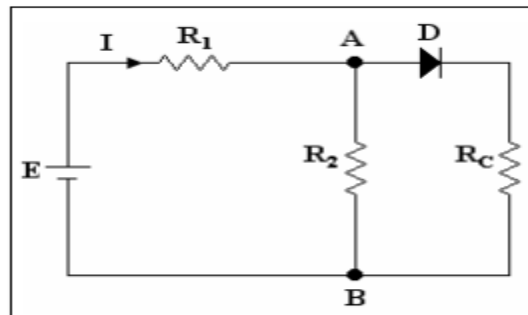
Exercise N° 3

For each of the following circuits, determine the state of the diode, assumed to be ideal, and calculate the value of the current flowing through it.



Exercise N°4

Consider the following circuit

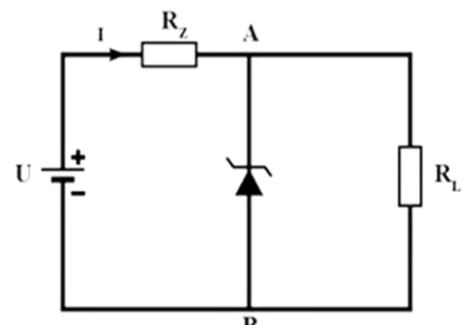


- 1- Replace the circuit seen between A and B with its equivalent Thévenin generator, and calculate E_{Th} and R_{Th} .
- 2- Calculate the current I in the following three cases:
 - a. The diode is ideal.
 - b. The diode is thresholded ($V_D=0.7\text{ V}$).
 - c. Diode with threshold and resistance R_D .

Given: $E=12\text{ V}$, $R_1=6\text{ K}\Omega$, $R_2=3\text{ K}\Omega$, $R_3=1\text{ K}\Omega$ et $R_D=100\text{ }\Omega$.

Exercise N°5

Find the current through the Zener diode given: $R_z=1\text{ k}\Omega$, $U_z=9\text{ V}$, $U=15\text{ V}$ et $R_L=2\text{ K}\Omega$



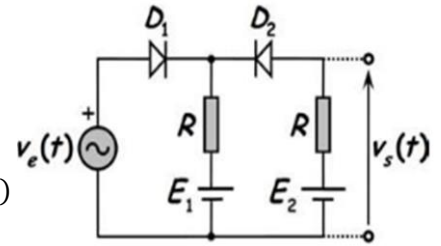
Exercise N°6

Consider the ideal diode circuit shown opposite with:

$$v_e(t) = 100\sin(\omega t), E_1 = 25V \text{ and } E_2 = 75V.$$

For each combination shown in the table opposite, you are asked to :

- 1- Give the equivalent circuit diagram. Specify the condition(s) on $v_e(t)$
- 2- Find the expression for $v_s(t)$.
- 3- Draw the curves for $v_s(t)$ and $v_s = f(v_e)$

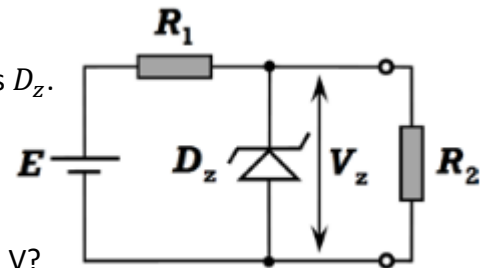


State of D1	State of D2	Condition on $v_e(t)$	$v_s(t)$
Bypass	Bypass		
Bypass	Blocking		
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Exercise N°7

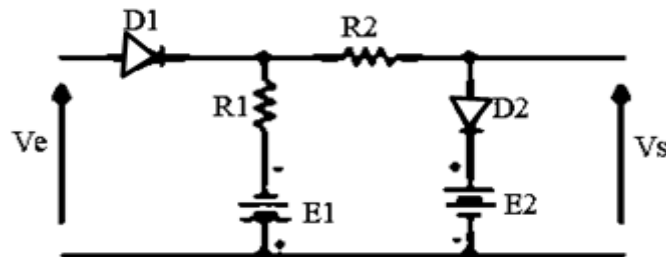
Consider the circuit shown in the adjacent figure with $V_{z0} = 12V$ and $R_1 = 1k\Omega$, D_z is assumed to be ideal

- 1- Draw the inverse characteristic of D_z
- 2- By applying $E = 16V$, we measure a voltage $V_z = 6V$ across D_z . Calculate the value of R_2 .
- 3- Calculate the currents I_1 , I_2 and I_z flowing, respectively, through R_1 , R_2 and D_z for $E = 35V$.
- 4- For what minimum value of E , does the voltage V_z reach $12V$?
- 5- Plot the voltage transfer characteristic $V_z = f(E)$.



Exercise N°8

Consider the circuit shown in the following figure, using 2 superimposed ideal diodes.



Plot the shape of the output voltage $v_s(t)$ when the input voltage $v_e(t)$ is triangular, periodic with :

- Frequency of $1kHz$;
- Zero mean value
- Amplitude $100V$ peak-to-peak and such that $v_e(t=0)=-50V$.

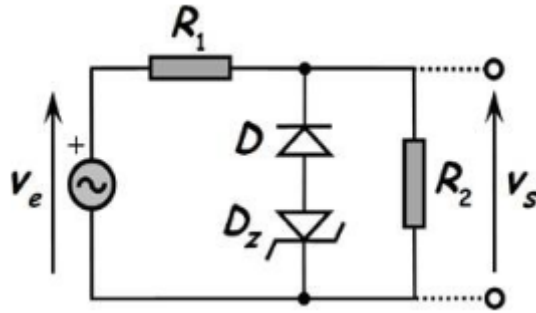
we give : $E_1=30V$, $E_2=20V$, $R_1=1k\Omega$ and $R_2=1k\Omega$

Exercise N°9

Consider the circuit shown below. Draw the voltage curve across resistor R_2

We give : $v_e(t) = V_M \sin \omega t$ with $V_M = 36V$, $R_1 = 150\Omega$,

$R_2 = 100\Omega$, $D(V_0 = 0.7V, R_d = 0)$, $D_z(V_{z0} = 10V, R_z = R_d = 0, V_0 = 0)$



Exercise N°10

Consider the circuit shown opposite (single-ended rectifier).

Let D_1 and D_2 be ideal, and $e(t) = 100\sqrt{2}\sin(100\pi t)V$

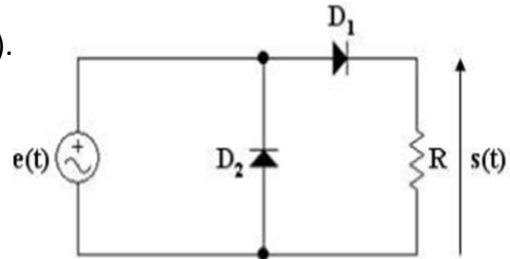
1- Calculate $s(t)$ as a function of $e(t)$.

2- Draw $s(t)$, V_{D1} and V_{D2} .

3- Determine the value of R so that the current flowing through it has an RMS value equal to 10 mA.

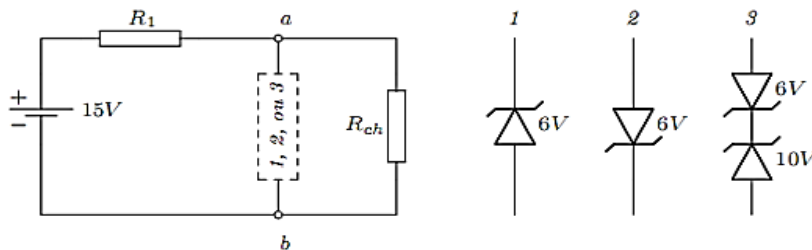
4- Calculate the maximum and average values of the current flowing through R .

5- Calculate the maximum, rms and mean values of the voltage across the load.



Exercise N°11

Consider the following circuit, in which either element (1), element (2) or both elements (3) are alternately connected between terminals a and b.



Calculate the voltage V_{ab} and the current in the load resistor R_{ch} in the three cases, given that $R_{ch} = 1 k\Omega$ and $R_1 = 100 \Omega$. The voltages across the Zener diodes in reverse conduction are shown in the figure.

Exercise N°12

The data sheet for a Zener diode gives:

$$V_Z = 12V, I_Z = 50mA, I_{Zmin} = 0.5mA, I_{Zmax} = 100mA \text{ and } R_Z = 20\Omega$$

1. Calculate voltages V_{Zmin} and V_{Zmax}

2. Determine the equation of the characteristic (the straight line) of the zener diode.

3. Calculate voltages V_{Z1} and V_{Z2} for respective currents :

$$I_{Z1} = 20mA \text{ and } I_{Z2} = 80mA$$